Property of the Wayland Library. 1870

$$\begin{array}{r} 14 \\ 36 \\ \hline 80 \\ 75 \\ \hline 1.57 \\ 24 \\ \hline 79 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 6,50 \\ 2,50 \\ 1,00 \\ \hline \$10,00 \end{array}$$

Wayland May 14th 1870. The Library Committee met at the Selectmen's room - Chose J. B. Wight Chairman and J. S. Draper Secretary, and Librarian.
Voted that the members of this board propose lists of such works as they may deem suitable for the Library and that selections be made by Messrs Robbins & Draper who shall purchase the same at their discretion.
Voted that the Chairman of the board make inquiry relative to towns action recently with regard to reensuring the Library, and if no action has been had, then, that he proceed immediately to secure such insurance at the same office as before insured.
Voted that the board request Mr Gill to institute inquiry among the friends of the Library in Cochituate relative to plans for insuring the circulation of books in that village, and report at some future meeting.
Voted to adjourn to 4 weeks from to day at Library room at 2 o'c. P.M.
J. S. Draper.
Met June 11 as adjourned - The matter of insuring the Library was referred to the Secretary to act at his discretion - Mr Gill reported plan of circulating books in Cochituate for the present by sending an agent to make a general exchange of books for the people of that village - accepted
Meeting Dissolved. J. S. Draper

June 17th 1871. The board met and organized by choosing S. D. Robbins Chairman. J. A. Roby Secretary Chose J. S. Draper Librarian.

Adopted standing rule - that the Board meet at the Library room on the first Saturday of each month at 3 o'clock P.M. and that two be a quorum for the transaction of business.

July 1st Board met and voted to request of the Selectmen an order for Fifty Dollars to buy Books for the Library.

Voted to adopt the selection of books as prepared by the members of the board.

Voted to approve of J. S. Draper's bill of eight Dollars for two desks for Library room and for his work in repairing the same.

J. A. Roby.

Wayland, April, 13. 1872. The Library committee met and voted that James S. Draper be requested to act as Librarian the coming year and bring in his bill to the town at the close thereof.

Also voted that the books proposed monthly by members of the committee, be examined before purchasing.

Voted that the Board meet monthly at the Library Room first Sat. at 3 P.M.

The committee chosen this year by the Town, ~~at~~ viz, S. D. Robbins, J. B. Wight, J. W. Lewis J. A. Roby and Luther H. Sherman.

J A Roby Sec'y

June 1st 1872. In Committee, voted that until further action, the Librarian be instructed to deliver books at such times as he shall choose to do so, subject to the requeations of the Library now in force.

April 1873. Voted by the Board, That J. S. Draper be Librarian this year, and that the Town grant for furniture or repairs for Library Room be at his disposal to appropriate the same for that object

June. S D Robbins resigned his place as a Member of the Library Committee.

Wayland, June 14th. 1873.

Dr Thomas W. Parsons presented the Library with the four volumes of Professor Agassiz's "Natural History of the United States," for which act the munificent Donors are entitled to the lasting gratitude of all the lovers of Science

Wayland April 8th 1875

The Library Committee met at Library room chose T. A. Merrill Chairman and E. A. Peirce Sec chose J. S. Draper Librarian and Jas. Cochran Librarian for Cochituate Village.

Voted That J. N. Hammond be appointed to transport the books between Wayland and Cochituate Village. Voted. That the books be returned to Branch Library in Cochituate between the hours of 3 and 9 P. M. in Summer and 3 and 8 P. M. in winter on Friday of each week, and be given out on Saturday of each week between the hours of 9 and 9 P. M. Voted that the Librarian be instructed to print a sufficient number of copies of this rule to circulate in Cochituate

Voted to adjourn until called together by the Chairman

Wayland April 14/75

Committee met at the Library room all present

Voted to print 400 copies of the report of the Library Committee for 1874-75.

Voted to purchase Appletons American Cyclopedia in library leather and that the Librarian be instructed to procure the Volumes published at once.

Voted that a Sub Committee be Chosen

to act with the Librarian in preparing a new Catalogue Chose J. A. Merrill and Ed. A. Peirce Voted to adjourn until called together by the Chairman. E A Peirce Sec

Wayland July 19/71

Committee met at ~~the~~ Library room present J. A. Merrill & H Sherman and E. A. Peirce Voted to purchase the following list of books viz Ned Nevins (O.O.) Young Am. abroad 2 series 5 Vols Woodvill series 8 Vol. ~~Voted~~ to fill up J. S. Arthurs Works. Rollo Books &c, Memmoire E. Garnett D.D. R. H. Danas two years before the mast. David Livingstons last journal Life and growth of languages by W. D. Whitney, Short Histories of the English people by J. R. Green, Voted to adjourn until called together by the Chairman. E A Peirce Sec

Wayland July 8/71

Met at the Selectmens room present J. A. Merrill Jas Cochran C. R. Damon & E. A. Peirce Voted that the tinted paper be used at ~~to~~ 60 lbs per ream provided it can be procured at a price not exceeding ($10) ten Dollars above the cost of the paper of the same style as the Waltham Catalogue

Voted That Mr. P. H. Draper ~~that~~ be instructed be
Complete the Contract for printing Catalogue with messrs Rand & Avery
or other parties on the best terms he can secure
Voted to adjourn until called together by the Chairman
before leaving the room Voted to Purchase for the Library
Memmoirs of Gen. W. T. Sherman & Japan as it is today
E. A. Pierce Sec.
Wayland July 6th/81

Visited L. H. Sherman today who fully concured
with the committee in their action on the printing
of the new Catalogue. at the meeting held July 3rd/81.
Ed. A. Pierce

Wayland Sept 13/85

Committee met at Library Room present
T. A. Merrill E. R. Damon Jas. Cochran.
L. H. Sherman Edwt. Pierce.
Voted That we do not furnish Catalogues
for general use at the library room or at
Mr Cochrans in Cochituate.
Voted. That the matter of paying for the
Catalogues be reffered to the November meeting
Voted That the Sec. see that an article be
inserted in the warrant for the November meeting

Byfield March 9th 76
Committee met at library
Present J. C. Merrill & Chairman
Entered Service
Voted, to expend the remaining
of the money in Treas hands.

Byfield April 6th 1876
The amount of money that can be expended for the Current year
is as follows Amount in Town Treas hands 13.55
Town grant 100
License on dogs 127
240 55
Deduct 12 already Appropriated 12
Amount in Sch. Treas. hands 228.55

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May 12 1876 Met at library room
Voted purchase the books examined with
the exceptions of two Volumes
Voted to meet the 19 of July.

Amount of Money
For the year ending April 1 1879
Town Grant 390
Library Fund 80
1/2 Dog Money 129 45
Unexpended Balance

Rayland April 12 1878

Committee met at Mrs Frances A Reid
Chose J.A. Merrill & E.A. Price Sec.
Appointed G. S. Draper Librarian, Salary $150
Appointed E. H. Boody Librarian for Cochituate
Salary $100 for expressing and Librarian.
Voted that G. S. Draper be an agent to purchase
books the present year.

May 14 Met at Rev J. A. Merrill's
Examined Books accepted some left
for more careful examination
Voted that the librarians be instructed to
require a guarantee of strangers wishing to take
books from the library

Lib. Committee

For 1879 Geo. F. A. Merrill Edw. A. Peirce
Mrs Mary E. Peirce Mrs J. A. Dent Mrs. M. Longley

April 8th 1879 Committee met at
the library room chose Geo. F. A. Merrill
Chairman Edw. A. Peirce Sec
chose J. H. Draper Librarian chose
Geo. A. Leach to distribute the books
in Cochituate fixed the salary of the Librarian
at $15 for one year

Warland April 7 1880

Committee met at Mrs Anna Bent's
Organized Chose J. A. Merrill Chairman
Chose Edw A Price Sec
Chose J. S. Draper Librarian
Chose Geo. A. Leach Librarian for Cochituate

Town Grant $800.00
1/2 Dog money 93.91
Unexpended Bal. 2 48.54

Salaries for 1880

Salary of	J. S. Draper	$ 150.00
"	Geo. A. Leach	$ 50.00
"	C. S. Parker Expressing	$ 50.00
	Total	$250.00

Jan 5 1881

Com. met at Library room
Voted to report from Jan to Jan
" to expend $50 in anticipation
of next years ~~taxes~~ appropriation
Voted to make a Catalogue
Chose J. S. Draper to do the work
Voted to invest the legacy of
Mrs L. M. Child and expend the
interest for benefit of Library.
Voted to expend $15 or more if needed
in binding Papers

April 13th 1881

Com met at library room
Organized by choosing

R. T. Lombard Chairman
Edw. A. Peirce Sec.
J. T. Draper Librarian
Geo. A. Leach to distribute
the books at Cochituate
Voted to pay J. T. Draper & assistant
a salary of $200 per annum
Geo. A. Leach $50 " "
C. L. Parker + 50 for transporting
books between Cochituate & Wayland

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Voted to leave the appointment of a Librarian for Cochituate with ~~the~~ Mrs J. A. & M. M. Bent

Voted to refer the matter of transporting books to the Chairman

Woylands Jan 6 1893

Comm met at Library room

Voted that the salary of the Librarian ~~be~~ & assistant be $200.00

Mr Atwood for transporting books $45.00

Mr Leach Librarian at Cochituate $50.00

Voted that the Chairman prepare the report for the year

Voted to expend the money in Library Treas. hands for books

Wayland, Mass.
April 7 1883.

The Library Committee chosen at the Town Meeting April 2d met by appointment in the Librarians Room in the Town Hall at 2.15 o'clock P.M.
Present, Mrs M. E. Reeves, Messrs R. T. Lombard and A. P. Gilman. (Mrs A. C. Loker ~~having declined to serve~~, and Mrs Cornelia J. Butterworth absent). Mr. Lombard was chosen Chairman and Mr. Gilman Secretary of the Committee. Mr. J. S. Draper was elected, unanimously as the Librarian for the ensuing year, and his salary was fixed at Two Hundred Dollars.
Voted, To refer the matter of the transportation of books to Cochituate, and the selection of a Librarian in that village, to the Chairman, as a special committee, to report at the next meeting. Mr. Gilman was requested to draw up a list of standard works in which the Library is deficient. Adjourned to Saturday, April 14, at 2 P.M.

A. P. Gilman, Secretary.

Wayland, Mass. April 14 1883.
The Library Committee met pursuant to adjournment at 2 o'clock P.M.; present Mrs. Reeves, R. T. Lombard and A. P. Gilman. The Chairman reported an agreement made by him

with Mr. Gerald, news-agent, at Cochituate, whereby Mr. Gerald is relieved from the duties of the assistant to the Librarian for the sum of twenty-five dollars a year. Since this day, the second Saturday in April, this agreement was ratified. (Mr. Leach makes no charge for the week not covered by his last year's contract.) Lists of books were submitted, and given to the Librarian to be procured for inspection.

N. P. Gilman, Sec.

May 23. 1883.

The Secretary having been authorized at an informal meeting of the Committee to approve bills from the Librarian has this day approved one from the Librarian for his salary ($200.00) for the past (term) year, and another for eighty-one $\frac{64}{100}$ dollars (81.64) the estimated cost of books procured by the Committee from De Wolfe, Fiske and Co. of Boston, and placed upon the shelves.

N. P. Gilman, Sec.

Notice should also be made of an agreement entered into between the Chairman and Mr. Atwood whereby the latter continues to carry books round from Cochituate, for the current year for the sum of $45.00.

Jan. 1st 1884.

The Committee met at the Library to make the annual Examination of books. It was voted: That the books lost at the fire in June last on Mr. Flint's place be replaced at the expense of the Library.
Also voted: That no books be loaned to persons not known to the Librarians, or not residents of the Town, unless a deposit is made equal to the value of the books, or unless the Librarian is satisfied by recommendation or otherwise that the persons receiving the books are responsible.

N. P. Gilman Sec.

March 22. 1884.

The Library Committee chosen at the annual town meeting for 1884 met this day for organization. R. T. Lombard was chosen Chairman and N. P. Gilman Secretary. Mr. J. S. Draper was elected Librarian for the ensuing year and the salary of the librarian and assistant was fixed at two hundred dollars. Mr. Gould was chosen librarian at Cochituate at a salary of $25.00. The Chairman was authorized to make arrangements for the transportation of books to Cochit-

ceed the past year from the usual source of revenue.

The Committee consisting of Mrs. Heard, Miss Reeves & Mr. Lombard, examined the Books in the Library and found them all on the shelves or accounted for, except one, which is supposed to be lost.

R. T. Lombard
Chairman.

March 21st 1885

The committee chosen at the annual town meeting met this day by appointment. Present Mrs Brannan, R. T. Lombard & I. C. Damon absent Miss E. A. Heard, Miss M. E. Reeves sent resignation as member.

Organized by choosing Mr Lombard as Chairman & I. C. Damon as Sec of Committee, Mrs Sarah E. Heard was elected unanimously as librarian for the ensueing year. & salary of librarian & assistant fixed at $200,00 Mr. Gerald

elected librarian at Cochituate, salary of same fixed at $25.00.

Voted that Mr Atwood carry the books for the year & receive therefor $40.00.

Isaac C. Damon Sec

Sat May 23rd 1885

Committee met at the Library room. It was voted that books should be purchased of Mess De. Wolfe & Co.

Arrangements made for sending a list of books on Monday from which to select. Adjourned to Tues May 26 7.30. P. M.

I. C. Damon Sec

Tues May 26 1885

Committee met by appointment at house of Miss Heard for the examination of books sent this day, part of which were accepted & sent to the Library.

I C Damon Sec.

Sat Oct 3rd 1885

The committee met at the Library room, at the request of one of the number who was not able to be present, the meeting was adjourned one week

J. C. Damon Sec

Oct 10th 1885

Committee met at house of Mrs. Brannan, all present.

It was voted that the Librarian be requested to keep a list of all books which people expressed a wish to have added to the library & also with each the name of the person making the request the same to be sent to the Secretary of the committee to be brought before them as aid in the selection of books, adjourned until Tues eve Oct 13th 7. P. M.

J. C. Damon Sec

Oct 17th 1885

The meeting appointed for the 13 inst owing to storm was postponed until this evening in library room.

It was voted that the librarian should be the agent of the committee & purchase from time to time such books as they may request.

A list of books deemed to be added to the library was received from the librarian & arrangements made for procuring the same for examination by the committee at future meeting.

J. C. Damon Sec

Wayland Public Library rooms
Mar. 20 - 1886

The Library Committee, consisting of Miss Emily A. Heard, Mrs. Ellen Bramar, Rev. Mr. Nottage Mr. Chas R. Damon and Jas S. Draper - held their first Session - The Board was organized by choice of J. S. Draper as Chairman and Clerk - and also as the purchasing agent.

On motion of Mr. Damon, Mrs Sarah E. Heard was unanimously appointed as Librarian for the coming year at a Salary of Two hundred dollars.

The appointment of the usual agencies for expressing books to and from Cochituate and for delivery of the same was referred to Messrs Nottage and Damon.

It was voted to hold regular meetings to attend to the affairs of the Library once in two months on the First Saturday of each month commencing with May next. Adjourned.

J. S. Draper - Clerk -

May 1 - 1886 -

Only one member in attendance - Adjourned one week.

J. S. Draper - Cl. -

Library rooms - May 8 - 1886

Committee met - All the members being present. An invoice of books having been procured for examination It was Voted - that three members shall constitute a quorum, for business, and that a majority of those present at any quorum shall be requisite for the admission of any book to the Library - A considerable number of books were accepted - and others held for further examination - Adjourned to May 22 - at 1 P.M. at the Library -

J. S. Draper - Cl.

Library rooms - May 22 -

Committee met - Mrs. Bramah and J. S. Draper being present the meeting was adjourned without delay to the house of Miss E. A. Heard - and other books were duly accepted and placed in the Library

J. S. Draper Clk

Library-rooms July 31 -

A special meeting of the Committee was held at which all were present except Mr. Nottage

The Librarian presented the question - Whether, on a fine being indisputably incurred, the person incurring the same shall have the option of either

paying the same according to the rules of the Library - or paying for and owning the book - The question was decided unanimously in the negative.

A question of damage done to a book carelessly left exposed to a rain-storm was estimated unanimously at fifty cents.

The question of whether to purchase an illustrated work on the Ology of Birds of New England at a cost of Fifteen dollars - was decided unanimously in the negative.

Several books were ~~read~~ approved and passed in to the Library.

Adjourned -

J. S. Draper - Cl

Library rooms - Sept - 4th 1886

Regular meeting - Present Mrs. Brannan, Miss Hand and the Clerk - Approved several vols.

Adjourned to Oct. 2nd next.

J. S. Draper Clerk -

Oct. 2nd 1886

Present all except the Members in Committee. Approved some vols - and adjourned two weeks to give oppor -

tunity for examining others.

J. S. Draper Cl.

Oct. 16 — 1886

Committee met except Messrs Nottage and Damon. Decisions were reached on all the books examined except "Narrative & Critical History of America, Edited by J. Winsor" which were referred to the regular meeting of next month.

J. S. Draper. Clerk.

Nov. 6 — 1886.

Regular meeting. All present except Mr. Damon. The question on introducing the "Narrative & Critical History of America" to be completed in eight octavo vols. at $6.50 per vol. bound in sheep was decided unanimously in the affirmative.

Other vols. approved by the Com. — two.

Adjourned to first Saty in Dec. at 1. P. M.

Jas S. Draper. Clerk.

Dec. 4 — 1886

Meeting by adjournment. All present except Miss Heard. Voted to purchase an octavo vol. in sheep at $5. entitled "Europe in Storm and in Calm". Several other vols. were approved. Voted to refer the printing of Library Regulations

(over)

to the Chairman of the Committee.

Adjourned, subject to call of the Chairman.

J. S. Draper – Clerk

Library Rooms Jan. 7th 1857. 1. P. M.

Meeting was held on call of the President. The members present being Miss Heard and Messrs Nottage and Draper.

Made annual examination of the Books. Found them in better condition generally than usual, considering the increased circulation of the past year. The exceptions are of several cases in which books have been damaged by marking and otherwise defacing, and by tearing or otherwise mutilating. Four vols. charged to sundry persons were not returned in season for examination and two books were missing from their places unaccounted for.

Several vols. were passed into the Library approved by the Committee.

On Motion of Mr. Nottage, Miss Heard was chosen to audit the Accts of the Library Treasurer and of the purchasing Agent.

Adjourned, subject to call of the Chairman.

J. S. Draper – Clerk.

Mtd, at the above meeting, to purchase the sets of periodicals of the past year taken by the Wayland Reading Club at a cost of Thirteen dollars.

Attest. J. S. Draper. Clerk.

Library Rooms - Feb. 26 - 1887

On notice of Chairman - Committee met. The Chairman and Rev. Mr. McTaggart only being present.

The Report of the Librarian for the past year was submitted read and accepted. And the Library Committee report was read and signed by authority.

Adjourned sine die.

J. S. Draper Clerk

Library Rooms April 9 1887

The Library Committee consisting of Mr Henry Parmenter Mrs Branian Miss Emily Heard Mr Chas R Damon Rev H. H. Mott held their first meeting in the Library Room.

The Board was organized by choice of Rev H. H. Mott as chairman & clerk, and of Miss Emily Heard as purchasing agent.

On motion of Mr Parmenter it was voted unanimously to invite Mrs S. E. Heard to continue in the office of Librarian for the coming year at a salary of $200.

Voted that the clerk request Mr Chas R. Damon to arrange with Mr Gerald of Cochituate to act as agent at a salary of $25 00.

Voted that the clerk see Mr Atwood and arrange for the expressage of books to Cochituate on same terms as before, namely $40 for the year beginning April 1

Voted to hold the next meeting on the first Saturday in May.

H. H. Mott, Clerk

Books Bought 1887

List of Books Bought by the Committee and entered by the Librarian during the Month of May 1887 –

Harpers Latin Dict-y
" Greek English Lexicon
Early History of Charles James Fox
One North Ballou
English People in its Three Homes Freeman
Napoleon First Selley
Chronicle of the Coach Champlin
English writers Vol I Morley
Masters of the Situation Tilley
From the Forecastle to the Cabin Samuels
M. Aurelius Long
Meditations of a Parish Priest Rowe
The Victorian Century Yonge
The Fair God Wallace
2 vols. American Statesmen Series, (Adams, Marshall)
Pansies Whitney

Books bought 1887

The Minister's Charge Howells
Epictetus Long
Social Studies Newton
Ancient Cities Wright
Applied Christianity Gladden
American Orations (3 vols)
British Orations (3 vols)
The Feud of Oakfield Creek Royce
2 vols The Bride of the Nile Ebers
The Startling Exploits of Dr. Quiès Cèlière
"Old Faiths in New Light" Smyth
Sabina Zembra W. Black
Two Gentlemen of Boston
Strong Minded Woman
Boy Travellers. Russian Empire (Knox)
" " Central Africa "
" " Siam & Java "
Adventures of Tad Converse
Dramas from Dickens
Dialogues " "
Later Lyrics Julia Ward Howe
2 vols Agriculture Storer
2 vols Memoirs of U.S. Grant
English as she is Taught
A Year Worth Living Baker
The Adventures of a Brownie

Books bought 1887

The American — Henry James
Watch & Ward — " "
Washington Sq. — " "
A French Country Family
Miss Moore (John Halifax)
The Only Sister "
Jess — Haggard
Souvenirs of my Time — Fremont
Daffodils
Twenty years ago (John Halifax)
The Cousin from India "
Little Sunshine's Holiday "
Inventors & Discoverers — Timbs
History of Greek literature — Jevons
History of Roman literature — Cruttwell
2 vols. History of German literature — Scherer
3 vols Greville Memoirs
Dante's New life — Norton
2 vols Life of Napoleon — Abbott
Lucy Crofton — Mrs Oliphant
A century of Electricity — Mendenhall
A Brave Lady — Miss Muloch
His little Mother "
A Perilous Secret — Ch Reade
A Terrible Temptation "
Wandering Heir "

Books bought 1887

Good Stories Ch. Reade
Hard Cash "
Foul Play "
Woman Hater "

May 7. 1887

Regular meeting at the house of Mr Horace Heard.

Present Miss Emily Heard, Mr Henry Parmenter, H. H. Mott.

Voted that the question of buying the copy of the Encyclopedia Britannica, offered by De Wolfe Fiske & Co be left to the discretion of the purchasing agent

Voted that the purchasing agent have power to replace by purchase, worn out books from time to time, on the advice of the Librarian.

Voted that Miss Heard have power to draw out before June 1 the balance standing to the credit of the Library from last year.

Voted that next meeting be held Saturday May 14.

H.H. Mott Sec'y

Books bought 1887

Additional list of books bought during May & June 1887

British Poets, Riverside Edition

Churchill Parnell & Tickell 2 Vols
Coleridge & Keats 2 vols
Swift 2 Vols
Wyatt & Surrey
Skelton & Donne 2 vols
Gay
Chatterton
Akenside & Beattie
Prior
Ballads 4 vols.

Blackwood's Philosophical Classics 8 vols.

Leibnitz, Hamilton
Descartes, Berkeley
Kant, Hobbes
Hegel, Vico.

Art at Home Series - 5 vols

Minor Arts, Sketching from Nature
Amateur Theatricals
The Library
Needlework
Our National Institutions, Buckland
Field Notes on Apple Culture

Books bought 1887

Silos & Ensilage Thurber
Farm Implements & Machinery, Thomas
Every Man his own Veterinarian Hratley
Studies in Religious History Ernest Renan
Questions of the day series } American Citizens Manual Parts 1 & 2 Ford
Mosby's War Reminiscences
Questions of the day series } Social Economy Thorold Rogers
Life & Times of S. Bowles 2 Vols.
Merriam
History of Modern Europe C. A. Fyffe
2 vols
Folk & Fairy Tales Asbjörnsen
The Woodlanders Hardy
A Child of the Century Wheelwright
American Statesmen Series
14 Vols.
Rambles in Old Boston
E.G. Porter
Encyclopaedia Britannica

September 13 1887

Meeting of the Library Committee held in library room at 7.30 p.m.

Present Mrs Braman, Miss E. Heard, Henry Parmenter, H. H. Mott.

Voted. That Miss E. Heard act as a sub committee to arrange for the printing of a supplementary catalogue.

H. H. Mott
Sec'y

Books bought during 1887 (continued)

The Olden Time series (3 vols)
Outline of Sixth History Justin McCarthy
(trans.) Goethe's works 5 vols
Ruskins works 18 "
Dandelion Clocks Mrs Ewing
The Peace Egg do "
Browning's works 6 vols.
Wide Awake 2 vols
"Springhaven" Blackmore
"Eighty seven" by Pansy
Between Whiles H.H.
Button's Inn E Tourgee
"Kidnapped" Stevenson
Hazlitts Spirit of the age
Episodes in a Life of Adventure, Oliphant
Popular Delusions Charles Mackay
Stormonth's English Dictionary
A Family Feud Mrs Wister
A Study of Origins De Pressensé
Life of Dante M. A. Ward
History of our Own Time (2 vols)
(Prose Translⁿ) The Odyssey of Homer (Butcher + Lang)
Memoirs of Dumas

Books Bought — 1887

Froissarts Chronicles (small edition)
Tales of old Japan Mitford
Poems of Sidney Lanier
Life of Lord Herbert of Cherbury
Thoughts about Art Hamerton
India Revisited Edwin Arnold
"Allan Quartermain" Haggard
"Harpers Young people" 3 vols.
Dictionary of Initials & Pseudonyms. Cushing
"Pepys's Diary" 4 vols.
American Girls Handy Book
Life of Lord Lawrence 2 vols
Percy's Reliques 1 vol
History of French Literature" 3 vols
Wilkinsons Ancient Egyptians 3 vols.
Guhl & Koner's Life of the Greeks & Romans
Ploetz' Epitome of Universal History
The Shayhacks in Camp
A Modern Telemachus
England in the 18th Century, Lecky, 6 vols.
The Gates Between
Tom Burke Lever
Harry Lorrequer "
Charles O'Malley "

Books Bought 1887

New Arabian Nights, R. L. Stevenson
Saracinesca Crawford
Underwoods R. L. Stevenson
The Seaboard Parish G. Macdonald
Won by Waiting Lyall
Hundred days in Europe Holmes
"Locksley Hall 60 years after" Tennyson
Hints on drawing & Painting Hunter
The World's Workers Series 6 vols.
Miss Churchill
A Lad's Love
Obiter Dicta 2d series
Lays of the Scottish Cavaliers Aytoun
Holmes Poems containing later poems
Longfellows Poems " "
The Story of the Nations Series, 4 vols.
Hazlitt's "Table Talk"
Elizabethan Literature
English Poets & Comic Writers
Southeys Life of Wesley
Machiavelli's History of Florence, Prince, &c
The whole Truth
Graziella
A Phantom City, Westall
(Enlarged Edition) Social Manners & Customs Sherwood

Books Bought 1887

The Hundredth Man Stockton
St Elmo A. E. Wilson
At The Mercy of Tiberius do
Under The Storm Charlotte Yonge
Lowells Poems 1 vol.
Jury, Kirkland
Sebastopol Tolstoi
Ivan Ilyitch do
Prince Otto R. L. Stevenson
A Conventional Bohemian E. Pendleton
Sweet Cicely Josiah Allen's Wife

~~November~~

December 6 1887

The Library Committee met at the house of Mr Mott.

Present Mr Henry Parmenter, Miss E. Heard
Mrs Braman, Mr Mott.

Voted. That the expense of printing the new supplement to the catalogue, should be met as before, by an appropriation to be asked for at the next Town Meeting

List of proposed additions to library, read and approved

H. H. Mott
Secy

Books Bought during 1887

All among the Lighthouses
M. B. Crowninshield

Tales of a Wayside Inn
Longfellow

British Poets
Pope & Collins 2 vols

Whittiers Poems

Early Training of Children
Mallison

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April 10 1888

The Library Committee held their first meeting at the house of Mr Braman all the members present except Miss Emily Heard

The Committee was organized by Choice of Mr Henry Parmenter as Chairman Miss Emily Heard as purchasing agent and treasurer, H.H. Mott as clerk.

It was voted unanimously to invite Mrs S.E. Heard to continue in the office of Librarian for the coming year at a salary of $200.

voted that Mr Chas R Damon arrange with Mr Gerald of Cochituate to act as agent at a salary of $25 00

voted that Mr Damon also see Mr Atwood & arrange for the expressage of books to Cochituate on the same terms as before, namely $40 for the year beginning April 1.

voted to purchase the periodicals from the Wayland Book Club, and from the New Wayland Book Club on same

terms as before, namely $1/3^{rd}$ and $2/7^{th}$ respectively.

Voted to hold next meeting on the first Saturday in June.

H. H. Mott Clerk

October 6. 1888

The Library Committee held its regular meeting at the Library.

Present. Henry Parmenter, Mrs Brannan, H. H. Mott.

Voted. to sell the book cards at one cent each. also to sell the forthcoming supplement of the Catalogue at the same price as the last supplement.

H. H. Mott Clerk.

January 2 1889

Library Committee met at Library for annual examination of books - which with a few exceptions (of wh. note was taken) were all on the shelves

Present, Henry Parmenter - Mrs Braman
Miss E. Heard H. H. Mott.

~~January 20~~

February 20, 1889

Library Committee met at the house of Mr Horace Heard.
agreed as to annual report.
voted ~~that~~ Mr Gerald be requested to keep a record of all books issued & received by him. and that a book for the purpose be bought out of the money received as fines.
voted that the By laws & Regulations of the Library be printed in large type and posted at Wayland & Cochituate

Voted that a form of notification as to damage done to books, shall be drawn up by the clerk, & on approval of the chairman, shall be printed, for the use of the Librarian - to serve in place of the written notice now used -

Voted that the expense of the foregoing shall be met out of the fine money

H. H. Mott
clerk

Present - Henry Parmenter, Wm Braman, Chas S. Hard, Charles B. Damon. H. H. Mott

April 10 1889

Library Trustees met at the house of Mr Horace Hard.

Present. Miss E Hard Mrs Brannan Mr Isaac Damon
H. H. Mott.

Report of purchasing agent accepted

Voted, that Mr. Henry Parmenter be Chairman & secretary

and that Miss E Hard be purchasing agent.

Voted that Mrs John Hard be asked to be Librarian, & Mrs Gerald assistant Librarian for the year 1889-90 at the same remuneration as before.

Voted To renew Mr Atwood's contract for expressage of books & Cochituate on same terms as before, namely $40 for the year beginning April 1. 1889

It was agreed that in future money received for fines & sale of Catalogue be paid in to Town Treasurer, to be placed by him to the credit of Library account.

Herbert Mott
Clerk

June 1889 Library Trustees meeting at the Library room

only one member present –

Aug Library Trustees meeting at the Library room – Miss Emily Heard and Henry D. Parmenter were the only members present

Voted to put a list of approved new books in the Library

Dec

The Library Trustees held their regular meeting at the Library Present Mrs. Braman Miss Emily A. Heard H. D. Parmenter –

Voted that the missing numbers of Miss Mary Cecil Hays works be purchased and placed in the Library also some other volumes to fill out some works previously ordered –

Henry D. Parmenter

Clerk –

Feb 1st 1890

The Library Trustees regular meeting was held at the house of Miss Emily A. Heard Present Miss. E. A. Heard Mrs. Ellen Braman and Henry D. Parmenter voted to purchase the Periodicals from the two Book Clubs at the same terms as in previous years namely

Thirteen dollars for those of Wayland Book club and seven dollars for those of the new club. Also voted that Miss E. A. Heard should purchase other books previously ordered and not sent.

Adjourned.

Henry D. Plummer
Clerk

Mar. 21, 85 — Mr. Lombard Chm

Mar. 21, 85 — Mr. Dam Sec'y.

Elected — Mrs. Sarah E. Heard

Salary for Librarian & assistant. $200.00

Mr. Gerald — Librarian at Cochituate

Salary at $25.

Voted. That Mr. Atwood Carry books for year, for $40 —

45,00